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In re Patent Application of:
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For: **Human G-Protein Chemokine Receptor**
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Examiner: M. Pak

RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated July 21, 2003 (Paper No. 23), Applicant hereby requests the following amendments and remarks be entered into the above-identified application. Applicant submits herewith (a) a Fee Transmittal Sheet; (b) a Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time; (c) a Declaration of Yi Li under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 and accompanying Exhibits A-B; (d) Exhibits 1-6; and (e) a Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 with Form PTO/SB/08 and accompanying references CP-CQ.

Please amend the claims as follows.